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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, CASC (SAVVIDES, LARRY AKA SAVVIDES, FLOROS)

SUBJECT: W/W LARRY SAVVIDES-CONSULAR ACCESS PROBLEMS

REF: ANKARA 2547, NICOSIA 1168, NICOSIA 1117, NICOSIA 1082

1. ON APPROPRIATE OCCASION EMBASSY NICOSIA SHOULD RAISE SAVVIDES CASE AND ISSUE OF CONSULAR ACCESS RIGHTS WITH DENKTASH DIRECTLY. YOU SHOULD IN PARTICULAR SEEK CLARIFICATION OF THE TURKISH CYPRIOT POSITION IN VIEW OF DEFENSE MINISTER'S OREK'S ARGUMENTATION, REMIND HIM OF OUR RIGHT OF CONSULAR ACCESS AND IMPORTANCE WE ATTACH TO IT, AND STRESS THE MUTUAL ADVANTAGE IN ALLOWING EXERCISE OF SUCH RIGHTS IN WAY WHICH DOES NOT PREJUDGE ISSUES WHICH CAN AND WILL BE SETTLED IN NEGOTIATIONS. YOU MAY ALSO INDICATE THAT MATTER IS ALSO BEING RAISED WITH MAINLAND TURKISH AUTHORITIES.

2. EMBASSY ANKARA SHOULD MAKE SIMILAR ORAL DEMARCHE AT  
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POSITION ON CONSULAR ACCESS, DRAWING ATTENTION TO IMPLICATIONS OF OREK'S LINE OF ARGUMENTATION, AND EXPRESSING HOPE THAT RESTRICTIONS ON OUR ACCESS RIGHTS NOT BE ALLOWED TO RECUR.

3. DEPARTMENT DOES NOT HAVE INFO ON HUMANITARIAN ASPECTS OF SAVVIDES CASE BEYOND THAT CONTAINED REFTELS. ANKARA MAY DRAW ON REFTELS AS NECESSARY AND APPROPRIATE AND SHOULD INDICATE THAT SIMILAR APPROACH BEING MADE DIRECTLY TO DENKTASH.

4. ALTHOUGH WE SHOULD TAKE FIRM STAND ON LEGAL AND HUMANITARIAN ASPECTS OF THIS ISSUE, INsofar AS POSSIBLE PROBLEMS INVOLVING CONSULAR ACCESS AND TRAVEL SHOULD BE HANDLED WITH TURKISH CYPRIOT AUTHORITIES ON A COOPERATIVE AND PRAGMATIC BASIS. KISSINGER

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